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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Art Unit 2625

Rodriguez et al. Confirmation No. 5733

Application No.: 10/723,181 Filed: November 26, 2003

For: AUTOMATED METHODS FOR

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ORIGINAL PRINTED OBJECTS

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Examiner: S. Kau Date: May 17, 2010

## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed December 16, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1-21. (Fee of \$540.00)

Applicant petitions for a <u>two</u> month extension of time from <u>March 16, 2010</u> to <u>May 16, 2010</u>. If any additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Fee of \$490.00)

Please charge \$1.030.00 (fee for Notice of Appeal and extension of time) and any additional fees which may be required in connection with the filing of these papers or credit any over-payment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1071.

Respectfully submitted,

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